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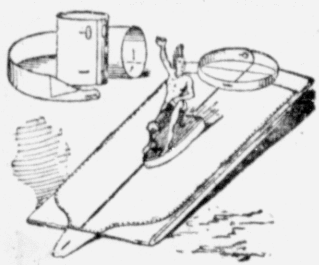
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## THE IRISH REFUSE.

Would Not Leave the House of Commons When Demanded.

### HAD TO BE PUT OUT.

The Trouble Came Over the Closure Rule Adopted by the House and Enforced by the Speaker Against the Irish.

London, March 6.—Disgraceful scenes occurred in the house of commons just after 12:30 o'clock this morning. Never before had such scenes ever occurred.

The trouble arose through Mr. Balfour closing the whole education estimates without giving an opportunity to discuss the Irish votes.

It was after midnight when Mr. Balfour applied the closure on the education estimates. The Nationalists shouted "gag, gag," and refused to leave the house when the division was taken. The chairman twice asked them to retire to the division lobby, but they shouted "Certainly not." Mr. Flavin cried, "I protest against the way all Irish votes are closed."

The chairman then intimated that he must report the matter to the speaker. In the meantime the other members had returned from the lobbies amid some uproar, 30 or 40 Irishmen remaining in their seats. The speaker having returned to the house the chairman reported the matter to him and the speaker asked if the Irish members still refused to obey the order and there were cries of "Yes, yes."

The speaker then named 16 recalcitrants and Mr. Balfour moved their suspension. This was agreed to without a division.

The speaker ordered them to withdraw, but they refused amid great uproar. The speaker called upon the sergeant-at-arms to remove them. They shouted defiance. The deputy sergeant-at-arms then asked them to leave, still they refused. Then a number of officers and policemen entered to enforce removal.

Eugene Crean, member for Southeast Cork, struggled desperately against removal and there was quite a free fight on the floor lasting five minutes, other Irishmen assisting him. Eventually he was carried out bodily by six policemen amid yells and cheers.

The policemen then returned and carried out each of the remaining recalcitrants in the same manner, although there was no further actual resistance. Six policemen sufficed for each member with the exception of Mr. Flavin, who is a big man and required eight.

Many, as they were being carried out, waved their hands and shouted "God Save Ireland." Those who were removed included Messrs. John Cullinan, Patrick White, Patrick McHugh, William Landon, William Abraham, Patrick Dugan, Anthony Donelan, James Gilhooly, Thomas McGovern and Jeremiah Jordan.

There were still about 50 Irishmen when the row was over, but they refused to appoint any tellers for a division. The Nationalists jeered Mr. Balfour and the other ministers as they left the building.

### STILL EXCITED.

Members Display Irritation at the Re-convening of the Session.

London, March 6.—The excitement occasioned by last night's scenes in the house of commons was still very evident, and when the house met at noon today, in view of possible disturbance, the whole police force on duty at St. Stephens had been mobilized and reinforced by reserves. John Redmond speedily rose and raised the question of privilege arising from the "painful scenes of last night." He claimed the members had been suspended without the proper steps being taken to identify them and that their removal had been accompanied by undue violence. He was satisfied, he said, the members were suspended who had actually gone to the lobby to participate in the division.

The speaker interrupting, pointed out that Mr. Redmond was not raising a question of privilege, but a point of order. If he was properly informed of any wrongful suspensions he, (the speaker,) would be glad to take steps to rectify them. Mr. Redmond tried to move adjournment and appealed to Mr. Balfour to give the members opportunity for discussion. Mr. Balfour remarking that he presumed it was his desire to institute means for preventing a recurrence of the scenes. The subject was then dropped.

Messrs. Jordan, McGovern and Donelan are the members who it is claimed were wrongfully suspended.

It is understood Mr. Balfour proposes to alter the house of commons' rule relating to suspensions, making the punishment so severe as to make a repetition of Tuesday night's revolt against the authority of the chair unlikely.

## FAILURE OF SEARLES.

He Is Interested in Some of the Largest American Corporations.

New York, March 6.—John E. Searles, the well known financier, made an assignment Tuesday for the benefit of creditors to Edward F. Dwight. Mr. Searles is president and director of the American Cotton company, American Type Foundry company and the Hyatt Roller Bearing company, and vice president and director of a dozen or more of the largest corporations and companies of the United States.

The announcement of Mr. Searles' financial embarrassment was not surprising in banking circles. Besides a fine town residence in Brooklyn, Mr. Searles also has or had a fine summer home at Buzzard's Bay, Mass., near the



JOHN E. SEARLES

homes of ex-President Cleveland and Joseph Jefferson.

An official of one of the leading banks down town stated that Mr. Searles had been in a bad way for ready money since last fall.

Charles E. Hughes counsel for the assignee said:

"The assignment of Mr. Searles was made for the protection of his general creditors in order that interest of all might be fully protected. His assets are believed to be largely in excess of his liabilities but include a considerable amount of unsolicited securities which were not readily convertible into cash to meet obligations maturing at that time. The assignment in no way affects the American Cotton company or any other corporation with which Mr. Searles is connected."

## CUBANS MUST ACCEPT.

No Extra Session Will Be Called to Change the Demands Made.

Washington, March 6.—No credence is given here in official circles to a report from Havana that General Wood has informed the members of the Cuban constitutional convention that the declaration of congress as contained in the Platt amendment to the army appropriation bill is merely a basis for further negotiations as to the relations between the United States and Cuba, and that the rejection of the amendment by the convention will be followed by the reconvening of the American congress in special session. There is authority for the statement that the remarks attributed to General Wood are contrary to the view held by the administration.

The expectation in Washington is that the Cuban convention will accept the conditions laid down by the American congress eventually if not in the immediate future, and that the Cuban delegates will be given to understand that action of congress was final, having been taken after thorough consideration of the subject and that such action is not likely to be modified by that body, even if called together again except in the event of the development of an unlooked for change in the situation.

As one official expressed it, the action of congress in the Cuban question was taken with the view of obviating an extra session as well as to acquaint the Cuban convention with what was expected of it. He said that the declaration of congress will stand until the convention is ready to act in accordance, otherwise the military government will continue in power at least until December next, when congress reassembles in regular session and the Cuban question can be again taken up for such legislation as may seem to be necessary.

### Fell From the Third Story.

Austin, March 6.—Father Joseph Just, an instructor at St. Edward's college, situated here, accidentally fell from the third-story window of his room at the institution Monday night and was killed. His lifeless body was found Tuesday morning. He was 28 years old and was educated at the Catholic university at Washington, D. C. He had been here about two years and was well known in Catholic educational circles throughout the state.

### A Brutal Assault.

Shreveport, March 6.—Monday morning between 9 and 10 o'clock, a negro assaulted the wife of a white man at her home, a mile and a half south of Blanchard in this parish. She was alone with her 4-year-old boy and a baby in arms. Her husband was at work a

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Theatrical companies are now giving Navasota, Cameron and other towns, where Evangelist Fife has been, a wide berth.

The legislature has at length given to Texas an official flower, the buffalo clover or "blue bonnet." It is also burdened with a Latin name—*lupinus subcarnosus*—if you prefer that. The blue bonnet had a strong rival for awhile in the open cotton boll, which was styled by its friends "the white flower of commerce."

Along with other things in the rivers and harbors bill, which was talked to death in congress, Brazos river improvement has received a setback. Nevertheless something has been accomplished. A survey has been made with a favorable report, and the friends of Brazos navigation have declared their intention of making stronger demands than ever upon the next congress.

### Gentry's Animal Actors.

The coming of Professor's dog and pony show may be looked forward to this year with greater pleasure than ever before, for it is stated by good authority that the performance is all new and strictly up-to-date. This attraction has always been a great favorite here and the engagement should, and doubtless will be, a profitable one.

Professor Gentry has always provided good entertainments for his patrons, and this season he has eclipsed all of his former efforts in a

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## OFFERED TO SANGER.

He Will Likely Succeed Mr. Meiklejohn in the War Office.

Washington, March 6.—The president has selected William Cary Sanger of New York for assistant secretary of war in succession to George D. Meiklejohn of Nebraska, who has held the office for the last four years.

Colonel Sanger, who, with his wife, formerly Miss Dodge, a daughter of General C. C. Dodge of New York, is now a guest at Secretary Root's home, has long been the choice of the secretary to serve as his assistant in disposing of the enormous and rapidly growing business of the war department, and his nomination would have gone to the senate some time ago had not the administration feared the effect of his resignation might injure the prospects of Mr. Meiklejohn for one of the two vacant Nebraska senatorships for which he is now a leading candidate before the legislature at Lincoln. It is thought now the announcement needed not longer be delayed. Colonel Sanger's nomination may therefore be sent to the senate for confirmation in a day or two, and if so he may take charge of the work immediately.

Colonel Sanger's military experience and legal ability are said to have been the chief elements which led to his selection for the office which, though already one of considerable dignity and responsibility, it is the intention of the president and Secretary Root to make it much more important in every respect.

Since the war department has come to be the branch of the government that spends more money than any two of the other departments combined, the need of a thoroughly capable assistant to the secretary has been most pressing. The treasury and state departments each have three such assistants, the postoffice has four, the interior two and the other have one each. Colonel Sanger at the outset will have charge of the recruiting service, which is now engaged in the work of raising the army to a strength of 100,000, of all matters relating to enlisted men, their discharges, quarters and rations, their courtmartial, including the exercise of clemency and matters relating to prisoners at military prisons and penitentiaries, all claims and accounts, of appointments, transfers and promotions in the civil service, and everything that effects the great civil force of the war department, the military departments and the military government in the Philippines, of insular appointments and sales of subsistence and quartermaster's stores to civilians, matters relating to national cemeteries, boards of survey and open market purchasers, and on his judgment and on his judgment all military matters will be awarded.

The contemplated reorganization of the war department which is to be made the coming summer will probably at the end of the current fiscal year on June 30 be one of the duties which will devolve upon him, and in addition he must act as secretary whenever Secretary Root is absent. The last responsibility is understood to be the chief motive for Colonel Sanger's selection as Secretary Root cannot confine himself so closely to his desk as he has in the past on account of his health.

Colonel Sanger's long service as inspector general of the national guard of the state of New York and his fondness for military matters are believed to fit him for important work in the war department. Colonel Sanger has shown particular interest in the building up of a national reserve, which is a subject near Secretary Root's heart. Colonel Sanger is 47 years old. He is a relative of General Sanger of the regular army, who recently took the census of Cuba and Porto Rico.

### Darrell Run Down.

New York, March 6.—Loys Darrell, formerly first sergeant in Troop G, Seventh United States cavalry, is expected here from Naples, a prisoner in charge of Lieutenant W. O. Dupuy, United States army. Darrell is charged with murdering and robbing a fellow soldier and tent mate in Cuba. More than a year ago Lieutenant Dupuy was ordered to find the murderer. Disguised as a sailor the lieutenant followed Darrell from Cuba through the British West Indies, from there to Lorenzo Marquez, from there through South Africa and finally to Naples. When Darrell saw Dupuy in Naples the fugitive gave up and said he was glad it was over. They sailed on the Hohenzollern, which is expected here.

### May Get Rio Grande Western.

Denver, March 6.—The News says if the present plans are carried out the Rio Grande Western railway will pass into the control of the railway magnates headed by Gould, Rockefeller and Harriman within the next 30 days. The financial management of the road has set the price and if the syndicate accepts the figures the deal will be quickly consummated.

### Mother Superior Mariana Dead.

Los Angeles, March 6.—Mother Superior Mary Mariana is dead at the Sisters' hospital, aged 71 years. She was for years in charge of the orphan asylum at Richmond, Va., and was treasurer of the order of the Sisters of Charity of the United States.

### Dozen Passengers Injured.

Philadelphia, March 6.—The east bound passenger train on the Pennsylvania railroad ran into a freight train at Hope Tower at noon today. Over a dozen passengers were injured, but how serious is unknown.

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Southbound No. 2.....	2:44 p. m.
Southbound No. 4.....	2:45 a. m.
Southbound No. 16.....	9:37 p. m.

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No. 101—Arrives.....	1:20 p. m.
No. 102—Leaves.....	4 p. m.
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No. 103—Arrives.....	8:30 p. m.

### LOCAL NEWS.

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Rev. A. M. Stewart has returned from a trip through Arkansas and the Indian Territory in the interest of the Free Baptist College.

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Mr. Tom Collins and sister, Mrs. Cora McGee, of McLennan county, Mrs. T. J. Rhodes of Franklin and Mrs. D. M. Prendergast of Mexico were here to attend the funeral of Mr. T. B. Collins.

Dr. Pugh has returned from a month's stay in Hearne, where he was detained on professional business.

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### EXCHANGE.

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### FIGHT OVER A FORTUNE.

To Determine How Much Will Go to Religion and Charity.

New York, March 6.—Whether the fortune of Miss Mary Beach Tousey, amounting to about \$1,000,000, is to go almost entirely to religious and charitable institutions is the main question in dispute in the contest over the probate of her will which has been commenced before Surrogate Thomas.

Miss Tousey was 70 years old when she died in March, 1899. She inherited the bulk of her fortune from Sinclair Tousey, the millionaire founder of the American News company. The Union Trust company is trustee of the estate under the will, and by its provisions religious institutions of the Protestant Episcopal church are very liberally provided for, the domestic and foreign missionary societies of that church are the residuary legatees.

The contestant is Mrs. Sarah B. Rohrer of Council Bluffs, Ia., the nearest surviving relative of Miss Tousey. When she heard that the will was about to be probated she came to the city and soon after brought the contest. She charges mental incapacity and undue influence in obtaining a will giving almost the entire fortune to religious institutions to the exclusion of her relatives and asserts that Miss Tousey was a victim of religious mania and easily influenced to dispose of her property as she did. Former Judge George McCurtis is counsel for the contestant and Wheeler H. Peckham and Charles G. Bennett appear for the will.

The only evidence taken so far has been that of the subscribing witnesses to the will in effect that Miss Tousey was perfectly competent at the time she signed the paper and was free from restraint.

### SHEEPMEN SHELVED.

Cut Out by the Credential Committee at the Cattle Raisers' Convention.

Denver, March 6.—The question of leasing the arid lands of open range to stock growers has come to the front among the subjects to be considered at the convention of cattle growers now being held in this city, although it was not mentioned in the call for the convention. The committee on credentials in making the temporary roll, vigorously excluded all delegates who had even the slightest interest in the sheep industry, but referred to the convention the question of admitting applicants for membership who engaged in raising both cattle and sheep.

### Spain's New Cabinet.

Madrid, March 6.—The new Spanish cabinet is constituted as follows: Premier—Senor Sagasta.

Minister of foreign affairs—Senor Almodovar.

Minister of finance—Senor Urzaiz.

Minister of war—General Weyler.

Minister of the interior—Senor Morot.

Minister of marine—Duke of Veragua.

Minister of public works—Senor Vilameva.

Minister of public instruction—Senor Romanones.

### Russian Students Charged.

St. Petersburg, March 6.—Today was the fortieth anniversary of the emancipation of the serfs. Students have been planning for some time to keep the day as a holiday and perhaps make demonstrations but no plans were made. At noon 1000 men and women students gathered in and around the Kusan cathedral, the students began singing when the police charged and beat many brutally, trampling many others under horses feet. The entire city is horrified by the conduct of the police. Twenty-five delegates from various St. Petersburg higher educational institutions were arrested Friday night for meeting to consider the student affairs.

### Rumors from China.

Victoria, March 6.—Chinese papers received here on the Empress of India, say in Kansu the Mohammedan revolution, of which the moving spirit is Gen. Tung Fuh Siang, is growing. The court fearing the rebels may invade Shen Si are talking of moving the capital to Szae Chuan. The Chinese army of the north has been transferred to Ru Nan and Kwei Chau and the southern army of 30,000, has been ordered north to Shen Si. It is stated at the Chinese capital that in the event of peace negotiations failing these troops will be pitted against allies.

### Postal Clerk Arrested.

San Francisco, March 6.—Joseph A. Conlin, formerly clerk in the branch postoffice H., in New York City, was arrested here and held awaiting transportation to New York. Conlin is accused of having stolen last October a registered mail pouch containing 143 registered packages in which were about \$40,000 worth of registered bonds and \$3000 cash.

### Fire at Orphan Home.

Dallas, March 6.—The 2-story eight room building at Buckner Orphans' Home, known as "Bethshan" and for 15 years used as a hospital and more recently as a schoolhouse, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. No lives were lost, nor was any one injured. Loss small.

### Charged with Murder.

Knobnoster, Mo., March 6.—William Wiscley, a negro, is in jail here charged with the murder of Nellie Allen, a 17-year-old white girl. The girl's body was found in the street near her home Tuesday night. The face showed marks of violence.

### Searles' Failure.

New York, March 6.—It is stated the liabilities of John S. Searles will not exceed \$1,300,000, with equal assets and that none of the companies with which he was connected are involved.

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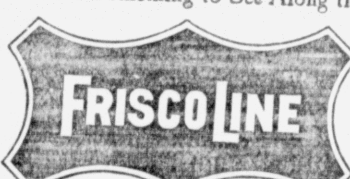


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### SANGER WILL ACCEPT

He Will Take Melkejohn's Place as Assistant Secretary of War—St. Louis Fair Commissioners, McCormick a Minister.

Washington, March 6.—All members of the cabinet were sworn in today by Chief Justice Fuller.

Colonel Carey Sanger of New York has accepted post of assistant secretary of war, vice Melkejohn.

Ex-Senator Chandler is slated for chairman of the war claims commission. It is understood Ex-Representative Allen of Mississippi, Rodenburg of Illinois and W. L. Chambers of Alabama will be appointed St. Louis Fair commissioners.

McCormick to Be a Minister.

Washington, March 6.—Among the nominations sent by the president to the senate was that of Robert S. McCormick of Illinois, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Austria-Hungary, and Captain A. S. Crownshield, chief of the bureau of navigation with the rank of rear admiral.

### WRANGLE OVER RULES.

Democrats Oppose the Adoption of Cloture Rules for the Senate.

Washington, March 6.—The debate on the senate rules, which was begun in the open session of the senate yesterday, was continued in the executive session. The principal participants were Senator Mason on the Republican side and Senators Teller and Jones of Arkansas, on the opposition. Mr. Mason contended that under the rules as they at present stood, it was in the power of the minority to prevent and therefore to control legislation. Messrs. Jones and Teller contended that there never had been a failure to pass a bill which had the real and sincere support of a majority of the senate because of the absence of a cloture rule. Mr. Mason controverted this.

"Will the senator from Illinois name a bill that has been defeated by the minority?" asked Mr. Jones.

"Will the senator from Arkansas tell the senate," responded Mr. Mason, ignoring the question, "how many times he was consulted about the ship subsidy bill and how many concessions he was asked in order to permit the consideration of the measure to proceed? I think a reply to this question," added the Illinois senator, "will illustrate the point of my contention better than anything I can say."

Mr. Teller said he saw in the movement which had been set on foot a determined effort to cut off debate in the only national tribune in which there was absolutely freedom of debate. This he considered a step in the subversion of liberty. He declared that whatever might be accomplished at a later session the rule could not be changed during the present special session.

### APPLAUSE MUST CEASE.

Vice President Roosevelt Will Maintain the Dignity of the Senate.

Washington, March 6.—Promptly at noon today Vice President Roosevelt entered the senate chamber. As he stepped forward to the desk to call the senate to order a burst of spontaneous applause rang through the galleries. With evident manifestations of disapproval the vice president seized the gavel and rapped sharply twice for order. Then glancing around the galleries he said (and the words cut through like a knife): "If there is any more applause or disorder the sergeant-at-arms will clear the galleries."

Mr. Platt of Connecticut called up the amendment to the rules of which he gave notice Tuesday, relating to limitation of debate. After the amendment was read Mr. Teller of Colorado inquired of Mr. Platt if he expected to secure action upon the amendment at the present extraordinary session. Mr. Platt replied he did not desire to discuss the proposed amendment at the present time. He wished to have the amendment referred to the committee on rules but doubted whether the committee could consider it so fully as to enable the senate to take action upon it this session. He had felt, he said, the senate ought to change its rules and he had thought the proper time to introduce the proposition was at the beginning of the new session of congress.

After a short debate the amendment was referred to the rules committee and Mr. Morgan addressed the senate upon his resolution to abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer treaty.

### Will Enforce Cloture Rule.

Annapolis, March 6.—As determined in the Democratic caucus the new ballot law will be among the three measures to be considered during the special session of the legislature. It was also determined to enforce the cloture rule in the senate in order to prevent filibustering. Therefore it is probable the special session will not be a long one.

### Alabama Representative Dead.

Mobile, March 6.—Speaker Francis L. Pettus of the Alabama house of representatives, died here of rheumatism.

### TEXAS LEGISLATURE.

The Blue Bonnet Chosen as the Official Flower of Texas.

Austin, March 6.—The house yesterday morning unanimously adopted the senate resolution declaring the flower of the Buffalo Clover, or "blue bonnet" as the official flower of Texas. The proposition came from the Colonial Dames and was carried through successfully by them. Indeed the work done by those ladies since Monday marks them as the most efficient lobbyists that have ever worked for the passage of a measure in the Texas legislature.

The Griggs pilot bill passed to engrossment without the ayes and noes being demanded. The real fight will come upon the third reading a week or so hence. This is admitted by both sides.

The house finally passed Mr. Satterwhite's bill making jury scrip available for payment of taxes.

The bill reserving to the state the minerals and oils that may be found on school, university and asylum lands hereafter sold, and giving the state an assessment on such lands, was passed to engrossment. An effort to suspend the rules to finally pass the bill failed, so the bill went over.

In the senate the double header bill was again postponed until Thursday. The postponement was most vigorously opposed by Senator Odell.

The senate concurred in the house amendments to the joint resolution by Mr. Davidson of DeWitt, requiring the payment of a poll tax as a prerequisite to voting.

Mr. Miller had considered a bill by him and Mr. Baaty exempting from payment of franchise tax certain fraternal beneficiary associations. The bill was engrossed and finally passed.

### To Hold Night Sessions.

Austin, March 6.—The house has decided to hold night sessions beginning next Monday night, to pass on local bills. The senate has passed its bill prohibiting any game of cards or chance in any public place.

### BLOW AT JOINTS.

An Ordinance That Will Bar Liquor from City of Topeka.

Topeka, March 6.—The city council has passed a liquor ordinance which will make it almost impossible for the jointists to do business in this city. According to the terms of the ordinance it is considered an unlawful sale to call a friend in your house and give him a drink of liquor. A man is guilty of violation of the ordinance if he is found in a place where liquor is sold, and it does not require that an actual sale shall be proved. The penalty for violations is a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500 and imprisonment for not less than 30 days nor more than 100 days in the city jail.

### Attacking a Military Train.

Manila, March 6.—A wagon train and a detachment of the signal corps, together with six Maccabee soldiers were attacked by the insurgents about midway between the towns of Silang and Dasmari in a southern Cavite province. Three Americans were killed and two of the Maccabee scouts were wounded, while one man is missing. Four horses and one mule were killed. Captain Mair with detachments of infantry and cavalry from Silang arrived at the scene of the surprise too late to intercept the enemy's retreat.

### Will Resist the Change.

Washington, March 6.—The Democrats of the senate held an informal conference and discussed the cloture movement in the senate and there was a sufficient exchange of opinion to cause those present to conclude that the move would be resisted to the end of the session. The conference was attended by Senators Patterson, Dubois, Harris, Turner and Heitfield, all of whom heretofore have acted with either the silver Republicans or Populists.

### Arrested a Deserter.

Ennis, March 6.—Officers have a prisoner who was arrested here for deserting the army while the soldiers were stopped here last week. It is said there are several others who gave the army officers the slip here. The constable has received a telegram from a sergeant at San Antonio saying that an officer will be here.

### Texas Volunteers Returning Home.

Washington, March 6.—General MacArthur has cabled the war department that the transport Logan sailed from Manila on March 1, with Generals Young and Hare, 22 officers and 769 enlisted men of the Twenty-third volunteer infantry and 21 officers and 785 enlisted men of the Thirty-fourth volunteer infantry.

### Death of George C. Cole.

Dallas, March 6.—George C. Cole, who fell from an engine in the Katy railroad yard on Feb. 23, died at St. Paul's sanitarium yesterday morning, having continued unconscious since the accident. Mr. Cole was one of the best known men in the city and his parents were among the first settlers in the county.

### Duel at a Dance.

El Paso, Tex., March 6.—A dispatch from Espanola, N. M., says at a dance at Monero, Rio Arriba county, a duel was fought. Four shots were exchanged and Bernard Bounds fell dead with a bullet hole in his head. Frank Timmer gave himself up to the sheriff.

### More Trouble for the Duke.

Liverpool, March 6.—On arrival here on the Oceanic from New York, the duke of Manchester, who with his bride, a Cincinnati girl was a passenger, was served with a writ for alleged breach of promise at instance of Portia Knight of London.

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